

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Harris *et al.*

**Application No.** 10/502,431

**Filed:** July 22, 2004

**Confirmation No.** 3960

**For:** NEW TUMOR SUPPRESSOR GENE,  
P28INGS

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**Examiner:** Gary B. Nickol

**Art Unit:** 1642

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated October 2, 2006, for which a one-month or thirty day period for reply was set, making a response due on or before November 2, 2006. A petition for a one-month extension of time for response accompanies this amendment, along with the appropriate fee, now making the response due on or before December 2, 2006. As December 2, 2006, falls on a Saturday, the **response is due on Monday, December 4, 2006**. Applicant provides Deposit Account authority herewith for payment of the required \$120 extension fee. In the event that additional fees are required in conjunction with the filing of this response, the Office is hereby given authority to obtain such fees from Deposit Account 02-4550.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 and end with a brief Conclusion on page 13.